

## THE WORLD OVER

## HUXLEY-CRAINGER ASSOCIATION U.F.A. FAVORS DRASTIC ACTION

IRISH RAIL WORKERS ON STRIKE

22 ARRESTS PLANNED, RIOTERS

PEASANTS IN RUSSIA WARNED

**DUBLIN, Irish Free State**—Railroad workers of the Irish Free State met on Sunday, decided to call a general strike at midnight, December 11, as a protest against the decision of a wage council to cut wages 10 per cent.

**WINNIPEG**—Warrants have been issued for the arrest of 23 participants in the riot at Arbor, last Tuesday, during which a mob, protesting against tax sale, forced the resignation of the reeve after manhandling him and stripping him of his clothes.

Nine members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police have gone to the town of Arbor, armed with the necessary warrants, specifically charging certain individuals with riot and unlawful assembly.

**MOSCOW**—Sharp warning to the peasants against the hoarding of grain was issued on Monday by the two most powerful newspapers, simultaneously with resolution of a death sentence meted to a Kulak for slaying a government grain collector.

The Kulak, a wealthy farmer, was sentenced to death, and his wife to 18 years imprisonment for the killing. The government agent went to the village to advise grain to the government. The latter attacked the president of the village soviet and shot the agent. As a side issue, a village doctor who refused to treat the wounded official was sentenced to ten years in prison.

## Four Questions Await Answers From Citizens

All of them pertain to a travelled road into Carlton.

What happened to the petition that was being circulated in the district?

Has any organization in Carlton sent a delegation to interview our provincial member, Mr. Claydon, on the matter and asked his support?

Do we expect the Government to give this road to us as a Christmas present, or must we seek and demand such a road, at the same time doing all we can to get the matter properly before the Minister of Public Works and in time to be considered when the 1933 appropriations for road construction are being made?

Do those citizens who said in September of this year that there was "plenty of time to interview the Minister of Public Works" still believe that there have plenty of time between now and the middle of January.

Three hundred farmer residents of the Elmore-Huxley district, in mass meeting at Huxley last Wednesday, unanimously pledged themselves to boycott and emphatically reject tax and sheriff sales and to refrain from delivering grain to market unless returns sufficient to maintain a decent standard of living were given priority over all claims of municipalities, corporations or private creditors. The group also demanded that municipal authorities apply tax collection to the keeping open of schools and to the supplying of relief to the needy before making obligations to banks and mercantile companies.

Originally called for consideration of the position of the farmer residents, the meeting early shifted current action to grapple with the present day problems and consequently discussion ran the entire gamut of western agricultural economy. About 200 resolutions were introduced, whereby the provision of a heads for orderly delivery and each received careful weighing.

On the question of a wheat bonus system was sharply divided. One section maintained a caveat for one meeting, another for two, and a third for three. The latter section, however, on what was no more restricted in this day than business on all farm products. Another held that zoning for bonus on wheat was not a solution of dependence upon the government action that had already failed. The amount of the bonus was also a point of contention, but the general principle of wheat acreage limitation failed to receive support, and while a sympathetic hearing was given those advocating a widening of the "farm strikes" policy origin by moved from the Ramsey area, this group refused to meet themselves with it.

A resolution asking for a provincial moratorium on farmers' debts brought out a discussion of the operation of the Debt Adjustment Act. This piece of legislation was criticized by several, one speaker pointing out that while present conditions spell economic disaster for the farmer, the act was a lingering illness with death only delayed. The resolution finally passed.

That the western farmer is in no way a creature of the government in other parts of the world providing he is not handicapped was emphasized when the currency question was before the meeting. Party of the Canadian dollar with the British pound was urged in a resolution forming the basis for this debate which was exhaustive. The speaker also went on record as being convinced tariffs were a bar to progress and that Canada should reduce all tariffs with countries like-wise minded.

The principles as outlined by the "uncommonwealth" Federation found favor by a substantial majority after these principles had been enunciated by several speakers. Another resolution

asked the provincial government to use its influence in the placing of all farm debts and interest on same on parity with prices of farm products.

At the conclusion of the consideration of these subjects F.S. Griesdale, M.L.A. for Olds, addressed the meeting. A few months ago, the speaker stated, he had high hopes for agriculture from the Imperial Conference deliberations, but these had been since shattered. If the question of currency depreciation was put before the people of western Canada, over 90 per cent of them would vote to go off the gold standard. Mr. Griesdale continued. He declared the present attitude of the Prime Minister was a disasterous one, although he believed that pressure would ultimately result in this step being taken.

## The Olive West Players Perform

The Olive West Players played to a fairly good audience in the Thursday night, December 1st, when they presented their program "The Olive West Players" along with music and dancing. The players were well received and many were pleased with the high class program presented. The fact so well satisfied the players over their reception in Carlton that they will return here soon after the first of the year for a longer program and many extra players. They look forward to being well received by the people of the district and no doubt more will take advantage of their opportunity to see these players in action.

## ALBERTA NEWS BULLETIN

### Trans-Canada Highway

Alberta's section of the Trans-Canada Highway is now practically completed, according to Hon. G. L. McPherson, Alberta Minister of Public Works. The section is now surfaced from the Saskatchewan border through Medicine Hat and Calgary to the western boundary of the province.

### Grant to University Library

Carleton College has granted the sum of \$5,000 to the library of the University of Alberta. The fund is available over a term of three years and is to be used for the development of the library as a factor in the work of the arts college.

Delinite action to prevent the rumored concentration of unemployed men in the province in a march upon the capital at Edmonton is announced in a statement issued this week by Premier Brundage. The statement points out that communitistic literature has recently been circulated reiterating demands already made on governments, and the government expresses its opinion that the object is more the furtherance of communitistic propaganda than the immediate solution of the unemployed problem. In view of this, the government has issued the following statement:

"The government has not refused to meet delegates from the unemployed in Edmonton and is equally ready to meet any delegation in Calgary or other points in the province, through ministers or properly accredited representatives of the government. This being the case, there is no need whatever for any concentration upon Edmonton, and instructions have been issued by the government to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police to take all adequate measures to stop any such attempt."

"The government takes this method of notifying all interested organizations that no such concentration will be permitted and that should any unemployed from other parts of the province succeed in reaching Edmonton, under no circumstances will relief be given here nor will any provision be made by the government for the return to the place from which they have come."

"All municipalities are being asked to co-operate with the government to this end, so that anyone applying for assistance for any delegates who may come from other parts of the province will be treated in a similar manner."

## OBITUARY

### MRS. CHAS. FULLER

Another old timer passed to the Great Beyond last Thursday, December 1st, in the person of Mrs. Chas. Fuller, who has been a resident of the Carlton district since 1860. She was in her 84th year and leaves to mourn her loss a sorrowing husband, 2 daughters, Mrs. Herbert of Carlton, and Mrs. J. Vaughn of Calgary, and four sons, Ralph, Glen, Oliver and "Hal".

Funeral services of the late Mrs. Fuller were held from the United Church, Carlton, on Saturday afternoon.

The death of Mrs. Jane Mortimer occurred on Saturday night and came as a shock to many Carlton people, she being an old timer and well-known in the district. The late Mrs. Mortimer has been living with her daughter, Mrs. McFarlane, for the past few years and had been in apparent good health until recently, and she passed away on Saturday evening.

Decided upon 72 years of age and leaves two daughters, Mrs. McFarlane of Carlton, and Mrs. Holston of Dorset. Also three brothers, Walter, Alexander and James, all residing in Carlton. A son, Stewart, predeceased her about two years ago.

Funeral services of the late Mrs. Mortimer were held from Christ Church, Carlton, on Tuesday afternoon, December 6, the Rev. Canon Gale of Calgary officiating. Pallbearers were Messrs. N. Cartwright, Chas. Nash, H. N. McNaughton, Jas. Ramsey, John Atkinson and Alex. Reid.

Walter Ross, of Drumheller had full charges of the funeral arrangements and interment was made in the Carlton cemetery.

## THE RESPONSE IN KIND

The Edmonton Bulletin has the following to say on the war debts question to the modest proposal of Mr. Ten Eyck. He suggests that Great Britain pay her war debts by handing over to the United States the Canadian provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, along with the southern counties of Quebec.

They might fittingly respond that if international debts are to be squared off in that way, the United States should take the land it should have over the States of Florida and Mississippi to Great Britain, in liquidation of the debts owing by those states to the British bond-holders, dating back as far as 1820.

In support of the suggestion that the members might cite the opinion expressed by the legislature of Kentucky in a resolution sent to the President of the United States that the repudiation of these debts was "unworthy of the enlightened age in which we live" shaming to the sense of Christendom, a lasting approach to republican government, and a stain on the American name."

"And from a whole volume of testimony that the United States might quote Daniel Webster. The doctrine of repudiation has inflicted upon us a stain which we ought to feel worse than a wound; and the time has come when every man ought to address himself soberly and seriously to the correction of this great existing evil."

Canada does not happen to be a possession of Great Britain, and its provinces are not at the disposal of the ministers in London. Neither, by the way, has Great Britain repudiated or threatened to repudiate any debt. It has only asked for an extension of time. Mr. Van Eyck probably has not heard this.

Florida and the Mississippi are integral parts of the United States and the declaration that their default is a "stain on the American name" that should be felt "worse than a wound" comes from high American authority. Washington is, of course, as likely to hand over these states to Britain as Britain or Canada is to hand over any territory to the United States. Since the element of humor has been introduced into the St. Lawrence dis-

## GOO, APPELBY JR. WINS IN PESTS COMPETITION

Results of the annual competition for the destruction of agricultural pests in the province have just been announced by the provincial game warden at Edmonton and in the competition for school children, Geo. Appleby of Carlton was fourth.

The total number of crabs and mussels destroyed in Alberta was 48,614; of snails, 421,746, and of crabs and mussels' eggs 152,773.

## COLD WEATHER HALTS SHIPPING

A week before the "foul" close of navigation, Great Lakes shipping is slowing down. Insurance rates took their first upward leap November 30, when they rose nearly 12 per cent. Re-wards of insurance increases, however, owners are finding it increasingly difficult to obtain cargoes for their craft and before December 12, the official closing date, it is predicted that vessels on the inland seas will be tied up.

## ELK BECOMING MORE NUMEROUS IN ALBERTA TIMBERLAND

Elk or Wapiti are becoming more numerous in that section of the Canadian Rockies adjacent to Jasper National Park, where these and other big game animals find sanctuary. While Jasper Park is a sanctuary, the same hunting is permitted outside of its borders and some excellent bags are taken each season by hunters. Jack Broadwater, noted big game hunter, out-fitter at Jasper, reports counting 13 elk on the first day. On other days he found six very plentiful throughout the district.

consist before the United States. There is a strong case for the viewpoint of Canada should not contribute its bit to the misery of the nations."

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## Good Progress Being Made With History Of The World War Now Being Compiled In Britain

With twenty-nine of the probable forty volumes of its history of the world war now completed, Great Britain is well ahead of all the other belligerent powers in the preparation of an official story of the events of the years 1914-1918 for the benefit of the living as well as of posterity. It is thought that the last volume will be ready twenty years hence, but that is really more of a guess than a certainty.

From the historical section of the committee of Imperial Defence, under whose aegis Britain's comprehensive memorial of the past and guide for the future is being prepared, this correspondent has just obtained a detailed account of how this herculean task is being handled. So far it has cost 200,000 pounds sterling, though that total includes the cost of archival work, which would have to be done anyway.

Of the histories completed there are: Naval Operations, 5 volumes; Merchant Navy, 3; Royal Navy, 2; Gallipoli Campaign, 2; Egypt-Palestine, 2; Mesopotamia, 4; and Tugue and Cameroons, 2. In addition to these 20 volumes there have also been issued five of the contemplated twelve dealing with the western front, three of the five dealing with the war in the air, and another—in diary form—entitled "Principal Events of the War."

At the outset of the war the British sea service numbered 660 vessels of all kinds. But by November, 1918, this force had been increased to 5,681. Each unit kept exact records of the events and movements of every hour of the day in its logs, which never numbered fewer than six in the case of the fleet, and often as many as fourteen in a flagship.

It is estimated that the total number of naval logs kept during the war was approximately 1,250,000. But except in the preparation of narratives of the major actions recourse is not had to these original documents, for the salient points in each have been entered on cards for more easy reference. It is to be remembered, too, that telegrams passing in and out of the admiralty amounted to at least 1,000 daily, or 1,750,000 during the war. There are, besides, the countless reports and Admiralty papers.

The records of the air service are only less formidable than those of the admiralty.

This vast mass of material at the disposal of the official historians has to be arranged and sifted by a staff of archival experts, one of whose tasks is to discard tons of papers dealing with matters of no permanent historical importance.

The authors appointed have the assistance of a small staff of technical specialists, including cartographers. The forty-volume history will be illustrated by hundreds of maps, plans, diagrams, sketches and charts, apart from photographs of the war, and a tree of war without which it would be almost impossible to visualize the types of country in which the operations took place.

When once the narrative is committed to paper in chapter form it undergoes the minutest checking. Hundreds of copies are dispatched to officers who took part in the particular action dealt with, and after their criticisms and suggestions have been considered and, in many instances, adopted, the chapters are forwarded to the appropriate service department for remarks. In one instance a chapter was submitted to 573 officers.

No other belligerent nation, it is asserted, can show such progress with their histories, although some are said to employ far larger staffs at much greater cost. Those who carp at the cost of the work are reminded that to date the expenditure represents, roughly, half an hour's expenditure by the British in warfare during the last year of the war. Besides producing this colossal war story, the historical section has to deal with thousands of inquiries from other departments, regimental histories, staff colleges and the war graves commission, many of which require protected reference to the records. The circulation of draft chapters of the history entails alone the writing of 4,000 letters.

It was explained to this correspondent that even in 1914 steps were taken to collect and arrange the records as they were received for the subsequent compilation of the official history, and the actual writing was begun in 1916. The number of records which have to be consulted is estimated at 1,000,000.

pendous. On the military side alone the historians have immediately at hand at least 20,000,000 sheets of documents and 85,000 maps. All of these are from the theatre of operations and do not include any of the multitude of "home" papers, such as war office files and the untold accumulation of other records.



By Ruth Rogers



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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Robert Stanes Gourlay, 81, piano manufacturer and for years one of Toronto's outstanding business men, died recently in this eastern city.

Charles W. Lindsay, Montreal business man and philanthropist, has been made honorary life member of Montreal Khivans Club, an honor shared only by the Prince of Wales.

Preparation of the report of Major-General D. C. Ormond, Dominion superintendent of penitentiaries, into the riots at Portsmouth penitentiary is under way.

Between Calgary and Red Deer in the north about 40 per cent. of this year's wheat crop remains unthreshed due to winter's early advent. This wheat still remains in the straw.

A resolution urging the Dominion government to restore the old rate of relief to men receiving less than \$30 a month pension, was passed at the meeting of the Disabled Veterans' Association at Vancouver.

Plans for a solo flight from England to Cape Town in two and one-half days are being made by Victor Smith, during 19-year-old South African flyer, who recently completed a flight to London from Cape Town.

For the first time in history New Zealand will have no Rhodes scholars to send to Oxford this year. The selection committee examined five possible candidates but concluded by making no awards.

Ten weeks of motorcycling in which covered 12,000 miles and crossed Canada from Montreal to Vancouver, ended at Montreal as J. Graham Oates, motorcyclist extraordinary from the Isle of Man, prepared to return home.

Pressure has been dropping at an alarming rate in Turner Valley gas field, according to a member of the Alberta gas conservation board which has completed tests in the area with a view to reducing production and thereby prolonging the field's life.

Premier Bennett's ambassador Dvorkavich of Soviet Russia, have signed the new Franco-Russian pact of non-aggression and conciliation. This is the first treaty signed which Russia has completed with one of the great powers.

## British Peers Frugal Eaters

Tea is Chief Meal According To Official Carter

Sausages and mauls is one of the favorite dishes of the British peerage, according to R. C. Vaughan, who has supplied meals to members of the House of Lords for the past twelve years.

"As a rule," he says, "the richer and the longer life aged peers are frugal feeders. Sausages and mauls, cottage pie, or stew at 35c. are their favorites."

"There is very little originality about the tastes of the hereditary legislators. Tea is actually their chief meal in the House. And they sure make a meal of it, too—which is not surprising when you consider that a large pot of tea, with unlimited hot water, toast, bread and butter, cream, jams, and cake, costs 24c."

Vaughan has catered for meals for five monarchs. He regards King George as having the simplest tastes, ex-King Alfonso as the greatest gourmet, and the ex-Kaiser as the most difficult to please.

## New Coins Synthetic Ivory

For centuries ivory has been laboriously turned by hand from natural ivory. Few workmen could produce accurate copies. Billiard balls of synthetic ivory, which are made with mathematical accuracy, were exhibited this year at the Leipzig fair and are claimed to be superior to the old form. They measure more accurately, besides being fracture proof and indestructible.

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Settlement Founded By Lord and Lady Astor Now City Property  
Another splendid gift to Plymouth from Lord and Lady Astor is announced. This comprises the social settlement and institution known as the Virginia House, which Lord Astor has decided to hand over to the city.

The Virginia House Settlement, which was founded by Lord and Lady Astor many years ago, is situated amid old stum property and close to the spot where Katherine of Aragon spent her first night on English soil when she came to marry Henry VIII. It has become a most successful center for all manner of social, recreational, educational and religious purposes, and the buildings comprise a large hall, classrooms, gymnasium, kitchen, library and so forth.

The most recent addition, opened by Lady Astor is a large nursery at the Loos St. side of the settlement. It is equipped, among other things, with five or six rocking horses, several dolls' houses, go-carts, perambulators and other similar things dear to the hearts of children. As a result of which many a found there on any night of the five nights of the week on which the nursery is open to them.

## Opening New Trade Route

For Operation Between Canada and Points in Far East

With the object of increasing direct trade between Canada and certain portions of the British Empire in the Far East as well as the Netherlands East Indies, arrangements have been made by the Department of Trade and Commerce and a group of steamship lines operating between Java and the Atlantic seaboard to provide a monthly steamship service operating between Halifax and Egypt, Ceylon, British Malaya and also Java in the Netherlands East Indies.

## Winnipeg Newspaper Union

By Ruth Rogers

Japan is now the leading purchaser of American motorcars.

Seven of the sons of Montezuma, emperor of Mexico from 1472 to 1527, assumed the title of Emperor.

Christmas Seal Sale PROVIDES FUNDS FOR Fight Against Tuberculosis

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## BRITAIN MAY PLACE BAN ON U. S. IMPORTS

London.—The new British note to the United States on war debts contains a carefully worded, but none the less significant, warning that if the United States insists upon payment of the December 15 instalment the United Kingdom will be forced to take measures restricting imports of American goods.

It is emphasized in high government circles that while in the new note the British argument is fully stated and supported by facts and figures, the greatest care has been taken to put it into unprovocative form. But the note deals in no uncertain terms with the relative excesses of Britain and the United States so far as war debts are concerned.

Especially attention is paid to the United States declaration that suspension of payments at this time would merely transfer the burden on the United States taxpayer. The brief and uncolored recital of the British taxpayers' efforts will probably come as a surprise to the American public, which it is felt, has been inclined to believe that if the war debts were cancelled the British taxpayer would emerge on an even keel, if not actually in pocket.

The reference to restriction of imports from the United States points out that consequent on the United States tariff the United Kingdom's power to send goods to America has diminished, and the total balance of the two countries has been seriously reduced.

Resumption of the war debt payments would necessitate the United Kingdom taking measures to restrict imports of American goods, especially of farm products, the note declares. And it emphasizes that, as the United Kingdom is America's best customer, the results "could not fail to be unpleasant."

The interests of both the United States and Great Britain, the note stresses, lie in co-operation for a revival of world trade. Assistance upon the war debt payments would further disturb the world's economic machinery and add to the burden of both countries.

### Mine Gas Kills Five

Seventeen Others Escaped to Surface When Explosion Occurred

River Hebert, N.S.—After dark, dread sound of the mining men, claimed the lives of five men on the lower level of Maple Leaf No. 4 colliery, two miles from this town.

Seventeen others who were working in the mine when the gas exploded escaped uninjured to the surface.

The five bodies were recovered by a rescue crew organized after the explosion. They bore no marks of injury, and mine officials said they believed the men had been overcome by "after damp."

### Honor Calgary Man

Atlantic City, N.J.—Dr. W. Herbert McGuinn, of Calgary, Alta., was named president-elect of the Radiological Society of America at the closing business session of its 18th annual meeting here. Dr. McGuinn will take office at the close of the 1932 convention which will be held in Chicago.

### Prince Has Wireless in Car

London.—The Prince of Wales has had a wireless set built into one of his cars so that he will be able to listen to broadcast music as he travels. The set is not a portable, but is built into the car in a box concealed under the foot-rests for passengers in the rear seat. The aerial is hidden in the roof.

### Bank Manager Recovering

London.—Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor, vice-president and director of the Bank of Montreal, who has been suffering from accidental poisoning, hopes to be sufficiently recovered shortly and will sail with Lady Williams-Taylor for Nassau, Bahamas, where they will spend the winter.

Alberta Farmers Institute Boycott Huxley, Alta.—Three hundred farmers of the Huxley district have had declared a boycott on sheep and tax sales and said they intend to refrain from delivering grain to market unless higher prices than at present prevailing were paid.

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### Canada Big Winner

Dominion Captures Eight Titles at Chicago Grain Show

Chicago.—As the awards in the international livestock exposition and the hay and grain show began to pile up, it was found that the Dominion has annexed eight crowns out of a possible 15, and scored heavily in all classes entered.

Vernon, British Columbia, turned in the biggest upset of the show when M. S. Middleton, captured the crown for the best sample of oats in the show, forcing the favorite, Albert Robbins, of Laura, Sask., to second place.

In the durum wheat competitions, George Avery, of Kelso, Sask., scheduled to take the crown, was forced to second place by the showing of T. E. Smith's samples which later took the prize championships to Herman Trel's winning sample of hard red spring winter.

Alberta led in the capturing of the coveted crowns with Herman Trel, of Kelso, won the flax championship in the show—the grain championship—for the fourth time, while three other Albertans scored, Fred Hann, of Goodfellow, taking the oats crown, Fred Ohman taking the crown for alfalfa seed, west, which was the best of both divisions, and Eric Anderson, of Wembley, who took the timothy crown.

From Saskatchewan, George Avery, of Kelso, won the flax championship and taken two seconds to date in the exhibits he has entered. Ontario has taken two crowns, head peas and the other in field beans.

### Benefit to Children

Claim Salmon Oil Twice as Potent as Cod Liver Oil

Washington.—A new aid to health of children, discovery that salmon oil is twice as potent as cod liver oil in fighting the widespread childhood disease of rickets was announced by the United States Children's bureau.

Salmon oil contains twice as much Vitamin D, the vitamin necessary to prevent and cure rickets, as does cod liver oil, until now the best known anti-rickets food.

The experiments were carried out with material supplied from Vancouver by H. R. Beard, in charge of research work for the Canadian Fishing Company, Limited.

### Worth the Money

Russian Citizens Must Pay Still Price to Leave Country

Moscow.—Russian citizens are to be allowed to leave the country if they can pay the still price in foreign currency.

The government tourist agency announced it will accept orders for visas from individuals who desire to leave Russia for permanent residence abroad. The cost, to be paid in foreign currency, is 500 rubles for workers and 1,000 rubles for all other classes. The ruble is nominally worth 50 cents in Canadian funds.

The foreigner will get his outgoing visa for the same charge assessed by his country against a Soviet passport.

### Accidental Shooting

Grand Falls, N.B.—Thinking he was aiming at a bear, Rev. E. Parkinson, rector of St. Angus church at Salmonhurst, N.B., fired, Donald McDonald, 20, Anfield, N.B., fell fatally wounded. The bullet passed through his body and stunned his younger brother, Neil, whose head was grazed.

### Had New Fraud Scheme

St. Louis, Mo.—Relief officials checking up relief lists here discovered a Russian living in the east end had secured relief for five months and had received five children living in Russia. He will be prosecuted.

### Captured Oats Title

Fred Hann Takes Three Years' Experience With Herman Trel

Beaver Lodge, Alta.—Fred Hann, farmer of the Goodfellow district, 25 miles west of Beaver Lodge, who captured the oats championship at the Chicago grain exposition, had three years' experience under the wing of Herman Trel, of Wembley, Alberta, wheat king of the Chicago exhibition and noted agriculturist.

Hann lives on a homestead on Sheep Creek. He is a Dane from the German province of Holstein and spent three years as a prisoner of war in France when captured by the French during a raid. He came to this district five years ago after spending three years in the employ of Trel.

The sample of oats with which he captured the Chicago crown came from a ten-acre field which produced 100 bushels to the acre and had a stand of 5 1/2 feet. The average weight was 57 pounds to the bushel.

## NEW RULE TO BAR WINNERS AT CHICAGO SHOW

Chicago.—Under a new rule adopted by the management of the International Hay and Grain Show, an exhibitor has won the highest award obtaining in a crop contest three times, he will then be considered a "super-crop" man and barred from competition for three years before he can again compete in the class in which he won the prize.

This applies to any exhibitor whether he has had consecutive wins or the laurels spread over a number of years.

The new rule will mean that Herman Trel, Wembley wheat king, a four-time champion, will not be able to compete in the winning wheat classes again until 1936, and it will also bar Mrs. Mary E. Maycock, of Milford, Ont., who has won the alfalfa crown five times for the championship sample of beans with her navy exhibit.

In announcing the adoption of the new rule, M. S. Parkhurst, superintendent of the show, stated it is to encourage and give new and green exhibitors a better chance to score in the larger prizes.

The new rule, despite the consistent victories of Dominion exhibitors, is not, it was clearly stated, aimed at Canadian entrants but applies to all, including C. E. Tregor of Lafontaine, Ind., who won the crown for the best corn in the show. It was his third premier honor and he will be barred till 1936.

### Saskatchewan Winners

University Captures Honors at Ottawa Winter Fair

Ottawa.—University of Saskatchewan and National Breweries divided honors in the percheron classes at the Ottawa winter fair. Leo Mangus 2nd, owned by the brewery, was declared grand champion percheron stallion and senior champion. The University's Romulus is reserve grand and reserve senior champion.

Highest honors for percheron mares went to the University of Saskatchewan on Charlotte, who won the grand and senior championships.

### Conference of Premiers

Ottawa.—Tuesday, January 17, is tentatively proposed as the date for the Dominion-proposed conference on unemployment and allied problems. Premier R. B. Bennett stated that the premiers of all the provinces are being communicated with on the subject of the date.

### NEW FIELD MARSHAL



The Earl of Cavan, who has been appointed Field Marshal, the highest rank in the British Army, succeeding the late Lord Methuen. The Earl of Cavan is 67 years of age and served throughout the South African and the Great Wars. Lord Cavan was aide-de-camp to Lord Stanley, Governor-General of Canada, from 1891 to 1893.

### Speedy Return To Penny Postage Unlikely

British Postmaster-General Declares It Easy Farm of Taxation

London.—Little hope of a speedy return to the penny post was held out by Sir Kingsley Wood, postmaster-general, when he referred to post office developments at a luncheon given by the Incorporated Secretaries' association at the Cannon Street restaurant, E.C.

A postmaster-general, he said, he would naturally like to see a return to the penny post, but he could not recognize that there was much in the contention that the 6,000,000 which the extra half-penny on the letter produced was probably less burdensome than any other form of taxation of similar yield, while the cost of the state was certainly intended to receive from the post office adequate payments in lieu of income tax and for the monopoly which was given to it.

### British War Debt

Stated That Britain Will Pay Instalment to U.S. on Dec. 15

London.—The Morning Post says it had learned authoritatively that Great Britain has decided to pay its December 15 war debt instalment to the United States.

Final details of the arrangement were presented to a cabinet meeting for ratification. The amount involved is \$85,500,000.

Informed quarters expected the document might prove to be the most important since the war as far as Great Britain is concerned, since it will review the whole range of inter-governmental obligations as well as the immediate debt instalment.

### Would Keep Einstein From Entering U.S.

Woman Patriot Corporation Send Request to State Department

Washington.—A demand was served upon the state department that Albert Einstein, of relativity fame, be barred from the United States as an undesirable alien.

The Woman Patriot Corporation, through Mrs. Randolph Frothingham, of Brookline, Mass., the president, sponsored the request, charging that Einstein is "affiliated with more or less avowed and admitted groups than Joseph Stalin himself."

### To Curtail Production

Farm Survey Strike Proposed By Rumsedy, Alberta, Strongly Opposed

Rumsey, Alta. Strong support is being given the call of Rumsedy district farmers for a wheat seedling strike next spring, according to reports reaching leading farmers in the movement.

Letters of support from members of various branches of the United Farmers of Alberta were submitted at a meeting of the Rumsedy local, and one report said 500 local of the farm organization favored the strike.

Official recognition by farm organizations has not yet been given to the strike. The Alberts wheat pool discussed the proposal but declined action and the plan will be debated when the annual convention of the United Farmers of Alberta is held in Calgary in January.

### Edmonton Flyers Injured

Ice Forming on Wings of Machine Caused Crash

Edmonton, Alta.—Grant "McGinnachie, Edmonton pilot, suffered a serious fracture of the right arm, while his mechanic, Christopher Green, was hurt less seriously, escaping with a bad shaking up, when their aeroplane crashed a few moments after taking off from the city airport.

Ice forming on the wings of the plane caused the crash. The machine was badly damaged.

## GAS EXPLOSION CREATES HAVOC IN MONTREAL

Montreal.—Ten persons trapped in a three-story dwelling here was rescued, and firemen were satisfied that a disastrous series of explosions in the opening of the Dominion-Provincial conference on unemployment and allied problems. Official announcements of the disaster were given by Prime Minister R. B. Bennett.

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## INFLATION OF CURRENCY IS SOUGHT BY U.F.O.

Toronto. The United Farmers of Ontario at their annual convention here voted to become affiliated with the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation headed by J. S. Woodsworth, Winnipeg Labor member of parliament.

Miss Agnes MacPhail, Progressive member of parliament, and William Irvine, United Farmers of Alberta member, spoke strongly in favor of the affiliation.

The U.F.O. decided to maintain its own identity, however.

Instant action by the Canadian government for the inflation of currency was sought by the United Farmers of Ontario, who telegraphed Premier Bennett as follows:

"Representative mass meeting of Ontario farmers demand immediate inflation. To prevent where prices of farm products shall be sufficient to meet fixed charges, restore purchasing power and maintain decent standards of living. Prestige deprecate conditions make such action imperative."

In addition, the United Farmers will take the lead in circulating throughout the rural sections of the province, petitions which will be placed before the government to the same end.

Led by Miss Agnes MacPhail, member of parliament, and William Irvine, the convention thrashed out the currency question thoroughly. Inability of farmers to pay their debts under the present prices was given by numerous speakers for the desirability of inflation."

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London Market Has Poultry From Prairies

Consignment of Fresh Killed Fowl Sent From Winnipeg

London.—A consignment in the famous Smithfield meat market, in the heart of London, of Canadian products attracted the Canadian High Commissioner and Mrs. Howard Ferguson.

It was the first consignment ever sent here of fresh-killed unfrozen turkeys and chickens which had been sent by the poultry pool, of Winnipeg, Man.

Consignment that will likely obtain about 16 pence a pound, including cost, insurance and freight.

Boy Scout Movement Grows Ottawa.—An increase in the registered enrolment of Boy Scouts and Scout leaders to over 60,000, and a substantial growth of interest amongst French-Canadian boys, were shown by the reports presented at a meeting of the executive committee of the Canadian National Council of the Boy Scouts' association, presided over by the governor-general, as chief scout for Canada.

Ottawa.—E. A. Weil, Montreal, director of radio for the Canadian National Railways, has been named technical manager for the new Canadian radio broadcasting commission, and E. C. Buchanan, president of the total darkness shortly after the first explosion, and all traffic was tied up in hopeless confusion until police could straighten it out.

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All over Montreal the blasts could be heard. Firemen from 22 stations rushed to the district. Over 200 police were concentrated in the area. Ambulances changed. 80 great was the danger of wholesale panic that advice was broadcast warning the people to stay at home and be calm.

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### COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO FIX REPRESENTATION IN PARLIAMENT



The machinery to fix representation in the House of Commons for the next 10 years has been set in motion and a committee has been formed to define constituency boundaries and distribute representation. Above are members of the Committee, as follows: left to right J. R. MacNicol, Hon. Charles Stewart, A. A. Heaps, Hon. J. C. Elliott, and Hon. R. J. Manion.

## A Business Revival

Business Statistical Organization Sees Improved Conditions

"A business revival is actually in the making. The present low-water mark of business activity cannot long endure. You will be well on the road to recovery before the great mass of people realize it," was the message brought to Canadian business men by Ralph B. Wilson, vice-president of the Business Statistical Organization.

Canadian business has struck bottom, Mr. Wilson said, pointing to a dip in so-called charts of different phases in Canadian business. He particularly emphasized the activity in such barometers as car loadings, electric power, newspaper production, gold mining, a large wheat crop, a slight increase in wholesale commodity prices and a favorable balance of trade.

The total volume of Canadian business should be greater in 1933 than in 1932. Furthermore," he said, "because the rebound has not been so drastic it is not unreasonable to expect the volume of business to reach normal by the close of 1934 or early in 1935. If this forecast is even approximately true, there is better business ahead of the Dominion for several years to come."

"I am not saying that Canadian business is on the high road to prosperity in 1933. There is plenty of hard work ahead," Wilson said, "but 1932 is pointing the way out, and the depression has seen its deepest point and that show but certain improvement lies ahead," Mr. Wilson concluded.

## Heroism Of Young Canadian

Lieutenant Flowerdew's Sacrifice In War Possibly Changed History

Members of the Authors' Club in London, England, were told the story of a young Canadian's heroism during the closing months of the Great War which, in the words of General J. C. Beby, war-time Canadian cavalry commander, "possibly deflected the whole course of history."

General Beby, in a personal speech told the members how Lieutenant Flowerdew of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, dreaming he might win the Victoria Cross, led the attack on an important German position at Murray Ridge, capturing it in the face of heavy fire.

Flowerdew, he said, was hit and his horse collapsed under him. Then, as he lay dying, he waved to his men and shouted, "Carry on, boys, we have won."

Tears streamed down the General's face as he told the story of Flowerdew's deed, which said:

"It was a return to the days when wars were decided by the strength of men's arms, and the fury of the charge was more than the Germans could face. They broke and ran, leaving the enemy still fighting in the woods, hearing a clatter of hoofs behind them, believed themselves surrounded, and their resistance was weakened."

## Luck For Fishermen

On Vancouver Coast

Thousands of Small Arctic Fish Appear Near Shore

Ever hear of minnow valloons? Most people had never even heard them until they started to appear in thousands off the east coast of Vancouver Island, some weeks ago. Malin valloons is the technical name of a small fish of the smelt family.

Driven near shore by the salmon, vast herds of the tiny fish, more commonly known as capelin, attracted fishermen from Nanaimo and other nearby cities. Hakes, net-catchers, Europeans and other improved gear were brought into use and the catch was bountiful.

Capelin are really an Arctic fish and seldom appear so far south.

## Five Million Dollar Stadium

Big Project Now In Contemplation In Old London

Probably a stadium may be built in Tottenham Court Rd., W. in a plot of about \$3,000,000 according to the head of a prominent London real estate firm, if present negotiations in connection with real estate goes through. The stadium would provide facilities for every sort of sporting contest, dancing tournaments, football, hockey. Exhibitions would also be held there.

The woman with aspirations (sighing): "My husband is merely a manufacturer of waste-baskets. It seems such a poor occupation."

Unappreciated Poet: "On the contrary, there is much poetry in waste-baskets."

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## Trying Usual Plan For Growing Celery

Canadian Seedlings Shipped To Bermuda Come Back Full Grown

Eugene W. O'Leary, president of E. Worral O'Leary Company, Bermuda, has been in Halifax outlining an experiment with which he hopes to beat the celery market by about three months.

He is growing seedlings in Canada, shipping them to Bermuda for re-planting, then reshipping the full-grown celery to Canada.

This winter, he said, "you will be given an opportunity to buy celery three months or more before the usual Bermuda product is on the market."

Mr. O'Leary was in Pictou, Nova Scotia, superintending the packing of seedlings for shipment to Bermuda. Last year he experimented in a small way, with such success that he had made extensive plantings at Pictou and at Moncton.

Two shipments, totalling 150,000 seedlings, were made from Montreal to Bermuda during October. The second shipment was from Nova Scotia, 100,000 seedlings, left Halifax on November 1.

The Canadian National Steamship Lines have co-operated in every way with me to land these shipments in Bermuda in excellent condition," said Mr. O'Leary, "and I believe this project will mean a large increase of north-bound freight later on."

Initially, Bermuda celery seed is planted in different beds and transplanted during January and February. It is shipped north to Canada during April, May and June. The Bermuda climate will not permit early planting because of the hot summers.

The seedlings now being transplanted in Bermuda have already had three months' growth in Canada. Thus the full-grown celery will be shipped to Canada during January and February. It will be marketed in a distinctive crate under a registered trade-mark, Mr. O'Leary said.

## Tigers Afraid Of Lions

Expert Animal Trainer Speaks From Long Experience

Any number of experts have held forth in print on pictures on the relative combative merits of the lion and the tiger. These opinions have been largely academic, as the lion and the tiger dwell in different localities and seldom meet on the field of battle.

But a young man who has served as referee, you might say, in many a fight to the finish between the animals in question was in Chicago recently and gave an earful of first-hand information. He is Clifton Healy, animal trainer for a decade in circuses, now about to make a moving picture picture of the Big Game.

"An individual tiger," pronounced Mr. Healy, "could clean up on an individual lion. But I have had more lions killed than tigers."

The tigers are afraid of the lions. That sounds funny, but the lion fights in gangs and the tiger as a lone animal. Lions will come to the aid of one of their kin in distress. But a tiger will sit coolly alone and watch his brother tiger knocked out."

Healy is the only trainer who has succeeded in working with the two species in one cage. And that's the chief cause of his twenty more or less serious injuries.

## Future Is Promising

Fin Plot To Be Immensely Benefited By Hudson Bay Railway

When conditions return to normal, a promising future for Fin Bay territory in northern Manitoba, it is believed by G. C. Martin of the Martin Paper Company. The Hudson Bay Railway will prove a boon to the territory.

Building of the railway resulted in at least one valuable discovery when marble was unearthed 50 miles north of The Pas. He said, had been used in constructing many buildings in eastern Canada. The Hudson Bay country abounds in copper, timber, fish and numerous minerals.

It was a difficult task building the H.B. road through rock, muskeg and swamp. Several railway engineers went in disgust, and railway tactics had been reversed, the work being done in winter and ballast filled in as frost left the ground. Sink-holes abounded, he continued into one hole 50 feet long, 55 trainloads of gravel had to be deposited.

Mr. Martin said he made a trip up the line one day and found the road-bed level. But, returning the next day the muskeg had oozed out from under the roadbed, dropping it many feet in some sections and making the line look "like a roller-coaster."

## MEMORIAL TO AVIATORS UNVEILED IN POLAND



Above is a picture of the striking monument erected in Warsaw, Poland, to commemorate the 365 Polish aviators killed on active service in the Great War. The monument is a striking piece of sculpturing by Professor Edward Wittig. The photograph was taken at the moment of the unveiling.

## Bicycle Popular In England

Room Said To Be Largely Due To Hard Times

The humble bicycle is making fame for itself and fortune for its manufacturers. This was a somewhat surprising fact revealed at the recent lightweight cycling, hiking, and camping exhibition held in London. So popular has the bicycle become during the past two years that 600 new cycling clubs have been formed and it is estimated that about ten million people now are riding in Britain.

One manufacturer admitted that he was employing 30 per cent more workmen today than at any time in his firm's 25 years' experience of the business.

It is probably that the general depression largely is responsible for the boom in bicycling, for there must be hundreds of one-time motorists and motorcycleists who find they can no longer afford the luxury of self-propelled vehicles and have taken to the pedal machine as the cheapest means of enjoying the countryside.

## Good Rule To Follow

Be Satisfied Instead Of Envy Possessions Of Others

Toronto is searching for the perfect day. The quickest way to make the discovery is to ask the first motorist you see.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Would it not be a good idea if we could apply the same thing to our affairs in general? Then we would consider our fiver better than the neighbor's limousine, and our humble cottage we would esteem as highly as the far-flung ancestral home of the man next door. It might cure a heap of our troubles.

## A Real Sport

A man went to have his photograph taken "Mounted or otherwise?" asked the photographer.

"Well, I'll have it taken mounted," replied the man; "but I don't know what my wife will say—she's never seen me on a horse before."

Britain has placed a ban on the importation of muskrats.

## Substitute For Hardtack

American Forest Rangers Will Have Canned Brown Bread

Rations for Uncle Sam's forest service employees in all parts of the United States and Hawaii, packed at Missouri, Montana each year for distribution, will contain no hardtack for the coming year, officials have announced.

The "army cake," formerly used by the rangers, will be replaced by canned brown bread, increasing the caloric content of the foods packed for the forest workers. The can in which the bread is packed will be used as a coffee pot after its contents have been removed, lightening the ranger's equipment. Cans of hash, pork and beans, roast beef, fruit, coffee, and a bar of candy will be placed in each ration pack with the bread.

Officials said that 22,000 pounds of the bread would be required.

## Economic Progress

Getting Back To The Point Where Willing Workers Can Secure Employment

Recovery does not necessarily imply resumed economic progress, though that progress may quite possibly be resumed. It does imply that economic activity shall become profitable for the greater part of those who conduct it and for most of the time. Also that it shall be in sufficient volume to assure steady work for those able to work productively and dependent on their labor for their livelihood. It implies that those who live by their paid labor shall receive for it not necessarily enough to make them feel that they could not use more but at least enough to maintain them decently and to enable those to save who will make the necessary sacrifices of avoiding expense.

—Brooklyn Eagle.

One nice feature about using a parachute is that you come down whether the chute opens or not.

An ostrich in South Africa has attained the age of 70.

## Report Will Be Interesting

British Educational Authorities Checking Up On War-Time Rabies

The Great War resulted in a deplorable lack of men between the ages of 25 and 45. The older men were obliged to carry on, but there were comparatively few to follow in their footsteps. The youngsters torn during the war will soon be preparing to enter on the duties of manhood and womanhood. What will be their caliber?

This is a view to answering this question a new series of human records is to be established and maintained during the next four years by a number of educational authorities and schools throughout Great Britain. These documents and statistics will tell the history of boys and girls who were war-time babies. Throughout their school life these children have been watched with particular care by headmasters, housemistresses and education board inspectors. Among the physical, mental and social characteristics already noted are the following:

Health.—Generally these children, particularly if their fathers were in the navy or army during the war, are physically stronger, taller in stature, and in every way fitter than the children born since the war. This applies to girls more than to boys. There have been, however, some curfew defects in the war children, for example, 17.1 per cent. of the boys and 18.8 per cent. of the girls at the age of 15 have defective vision, and require to wear glasses.

General.—The average war-line child has been good at lessons, and has reached a high standard of comparative scholarship, certainly higher than the children of the peace. Between the years of four and eight during the war. Where psychological tests for measuring capacity have been given, the war-time children have shown better results than post-war children at comparative ages.

The results of the reports, so far, are highly and interesting. Conditions of life are more severe than before the war, but the "war babies" give promise of overcoming them.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

## Conducts Fascinating

Information Bureau

Calgary Woman Caters To Canadians In Isolated Places

A petite, silver-haired, bright-eyed woman, who is guide, philosopher and friend to the real men in the back-of-beyond lumber camps of Canada is in England, studying our library methods. She is Miss F. Montgomery, librarian of the library division of the department of extension of the University of Alberta. She has a stranger library and conducts a more fascinating information bureau than any of her professional colleagues in this country.

Her task includes choosing and sending out of parcels of books to be read in the far-away home of the miners and by men plunged for dreary months in the Arctic Circle. And she posts love letters to Canadian wives in the solitude of farms 50 miles from a village. In an interview Miss Montgomery described how she receives letters from the women of these desolate farmsteads asking: "What is the best way to feed my six-month-old baby? Is it too young for meat?" "How shall I best preserve my fruit?" "Please send me some patterns for making a dress."

"I answer hundreds of these," she said simply. "When the 11,000 books of my 'travelling library' come back, they are shaken—some of them tumble cars of wheat and oats from the wagons in which numbent workers have been reading them on some jolting journey. A box of books may travel 1,000 miles and be away for months, but so great is the appreciation and care that they come back cleaner very often than when they left. In the next street had borrowed them for a day or two. The men in the lumber camps like adventure books. They are the 100 per cent. men, I suppose, and they like a good red-blooded story. A few prefer love stories, but they will not have the highbrow modern sex problem novel at any price."

Antique Dealer.—This is a very interesting piece, sir, a William and Mary chair.

Customer.—It is a bit small. Look, no though Mary must have sat in William's lap.

Shipwrecked Man (to another victim who wants to share his raft): "Before you get on, old chap, I think it only fair to warn you I have rather a nasty cold."

## Finishing Bacon Hogs

Information Gained Through Experiments At Nappan, Nova Scotia

The low price of pork and pork products very often results in the marketing of unfinished hogs. This in turn forces the market to even lower its levels and results in many cases, in losses to the producer, whereas the sale of a finished product would have shown a profit. In these times of depression the advantages of marketing only superior quality products are even more marked than when prices are high. In the year 1929 when hogs were selling for 12 cents per pound or more, the premium on a select hog was \$1 or an increase in the value of a 200 pound hog of 4.17 per cent. In 1932, with a price of 4 cents per pound, the increase in value on a select hog is 12.5 per cent. Similarly the percentage dockage on grades below select is increased with a decrease in hog prices.

The Dominion Experimental Farm at Nappan, Nova Scotia, has been conducting various experiments over a period of years, comparing various feeds for growing and finishing hogs. Space does not permit a detailed account of all these experiments, but they include comparisons of skim-milk, tankage and fish meal, mangels and swedes for green feed, corn and barley, and oats, middlings and barley.

The results in general show that home grown feeds such as barley are best for finishing, although select select that fish meal is a valuable substitute for skim-milk, and when the price is not too high, can be used to advantage.

One point brought out during these tests is the value of having an early maturing strain of hogs to start with. For example, in 1929 two groups of hogs by the same sire from two different sows were fed alike. One group showed an average live weight of 225 pounds, and the feed cost per pound gain was 7.80 cents, while the other group gained 1.81 pounds per day and cost 7.16 cents per pound.

Proper type, plain uniform finish, commands a premium on the open market. The average finisher's production must be based on these points if progress is to be made.

## Exhibits Are Unrivalled

Britain Maintains Her Ascendancy At Air Show In Paris

Britain's contribution to the international air show in Paris, though smaller than in some earlier years, worthily maintains the SH AORH world's maintenance of British ascendancy in the air. The exhibits of aircraft machines, the aeroplanes, aeroplanes, materials and accessory equipment, and the display of the world's aircraft export trade since the end of 1928; at Le Bourget was the most complete in the world. The latest types of British war planes contrast and emphasize that impression.

British exhibits at Paris included examples of military aircraft that are unrivalled in speed and general flying efficiency by any standard craft built elsewhere, aero engines ranging in power output from 140 to 800 h.p., a model, on public view for the first time, of the unmanned device known as the "automatic pilot," and many of the essential component parts and materials that go to the make-up of a modern British flying machine.

## An Editor's Success

How One Was Able To Retire With A Fortune

This was sent to encourage the Sun. "However, cheer up! I just heard of an instance of a poor newspaperman who retired with a fortune. When asked the secret of his success he replied: 'I attribute my ability to retire with a \$100,000 bank balance, after 30 years in the country newspaper field to close application to duty, running a policy of strict honesty, always practising vigorous rules of economy, and to the recent death of my uncle who left me \$98,500.' —Farmer's Sun."

## Conductor of School Band

Now we will play "Rule Britannia" for our second number.

Schoolboy with trumpet (whispering nervously to boy next to him): "My hat, I just played that!"

The longest waves in the ocean are generally found in the South Pacific, and sometimes attain lengths of 1,000 feet.







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## TOWN & COUNTY Personalographs

Miss Doris McElna, who has been  
operating at the local telephone office,  
received word on Saturday of the  
death of her father in Winnipeg, and  
she left immediately for that city. We  
understand that Miss McElna does not  
expect to return.

Mr. Stipe was a Calgary visitor on  
Tuesday.

Miss Marie Martin of Carstairs, ar-  
rived on Tuesday and will be employed  
at the local telephone office.

FOR SALE—Quantity of vegetables—  
Cabbage, carrots, turnips and beans,  
1c per pound.—Colin McPherson, 2c.

Mrs. Jack Hay spent the week end  
in Calgary.

Mr. Bruce Ramsay, of the local public  
school teaching staff, is on the sick  
list.

Mr. Fred McCracken was a Calgary  
visitor on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Ramsay have  
rented the McPherson place and moved  
to that location on Monday.

Miss Betty Hesketh returned from  
Calgary on Saturday, accompanied by  
her sister Fay, who is spending a few  
days with Mrs. R. Clayton.

The annual School Christmas con-  
cert will be held this year on Decem-  
ber 23rd.

Colin McPherson held an auction  
sale of his household effects on Sat-  
urday and intends to leave shortly to  
live in the East.

## CANADIANS BECOMING NON-ALCOHOLIC

The spirit of Canadians is becoming  
more and more non-alcoholic, accord-  
ing to government statistics. Time was  
when lusty forefathers could hold their  
own to the extent of branding the av-  
erage per capita consumption of  
whiskey and alcoholic beverages to  
1.58 millions. That was during the late  
part of the last century. But later  
generations have now let the per capita  
consumption drop to the comparatively  
insignificant figure of 21 millions, the  
lowest for any year since Confederation,  
45 years ago.

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THE CHRONICLE

## Brown Thought He Saved Money

Recently John Brown boasted,  
that he didn't need to subscribe  
to the local paper. He could read  
his neighbors should he wish to  
see something of importance. Now  
John Brown was a man of many  
business undertakings in various  
parts of the district. He was also  
a great creditor. One day Sam  
Johnson gave up the ghost and  
departed to another land. Now it  
so happened that Johnson left an  
estate and some debts, including  
a debt to Brown. When the Credit-  
or's notice was published Brown was  
unaware of the fact, and the estate  
was settled without the pay-  
ment of the account. The debt of  
about \$95 was lost. Had he been a  
regular subscriber to the paper  
this would not have happened.

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## ANNUAL STATEMENT

31st October, 1932

### LIABILITIES

#### LIABILITIES TO THE PUBLIC

Deposits	\$648,832,663.16
Payable on demand and other notes	
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	34,102,970.00
Payable on demand	
Bills Payable	180,186.44
Time drafts issued and outstanding	
Letters of Credit Outstanding	8,343,722.33
Financial responsibilities undertaken on behalf of customers (see ap- pendix amount [a] in "Reserves")	
Other Liabilities	1,543,776.16
Items which do not come under the foregoing headings	
Total Liabilities to the Public	\$693,003,318.99

#### LIABILITIES TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits	
& Reserves for Dividends	76,609,460.00
Total Liabilities to the Shareholders	\$769,166,272.69

### RESOURCES

#### To meet the foregoing Liabilities the Bank has

Cash in its Vaults and in the Central Gold Reserves	84,976,182.21
Notes and Cheques on Other Banks	30,387,693.81
Payable on cash on presentation	
Money on Deposit with Other Banks	31,727,248.52
Available on demand or at short notice	
Government & Other Bonds and Securities	266,720,664.26
The entire portion of which consists of gilt-edge securities which mature at early dates	
Stocks	618,288.17
Real Estate and Industrial and other assets	
Call Loans outside of Canada	20,071,135.74
Secured by bonds, stocks and other negotiable securities of greater value than the loans and representing money readily available with no disturbing effect on conditions in Canada	
Call Loans in Canada	5,157,690.00
Payable on demand and secured by bonds and stocks of greater value than the loans	
Bankers' Acceptances	100,403.11
Prime drafts accepted by other banks	

#### TOTAL OF QUICKLY AVAILABLE RESOURCES

(equal to 63.46% of all Liabilities to the Public)

Other Loans	302,931,269.80
To non-residents, farmers, merchants and others, on conditions con- sistent with sound banking	
Bank Premises	14,500,000.00
These premises only are carried in the names of holding companies, the stock and bonds of these companies are entirely owned by the bank and appear on the books at \$1.00 in each case. All other of the bank's premises, the value of which largely exceeds \$1,000,000, ap- pear under this heading	
Real Estate and Mortgages on Real Estate	1,721,771.17
Acquired in the course of the bank's business and in process of being realized upon	
* Customers' Liability under Letters of Credit	8,343,722.33
Approximate liability of customers on account of Letters of Credit issued by the bank for their account	
Other Assets not included in the foregoing	1,901,002.75
Making Total Assets of	\$709,166,272.69
to meet payment of Liabilities to the Public of	693,003,318.99
leaving an excess of Assets over Liabilities to the Public of	\$ 76,160,954.60

### PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Profits for the year ending 31st October, 1932	\$ 463,100.60
Dividends paid or payable to Shareholders	23,950,000.00
Provision for Taxes, Dominion Government	437,071.05
Reserve for Bank Premises	1,500,000.00
Balance of Profits and Loss Account, 31st October, 1931	145,490.55
Balance of Profits and Loss carried forward	11,146.05
	\$1,477,560.50

CHARLES B. GORDON,  
President

W. A. ROG,  
JACKSON DODDS,  
Joint General Managers

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FECTLY BREWED AND AGED
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